



## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
WILLIAM A. LINTON, ET AL. ) : Examiner: Kimberly D. Nguyen  
Appln. No.: 09/981,219 ) : Group Art Unit: 2876  
Filed: November 16, 2001 ) :  
For: RADIO FREQUENCY ) :  
IDENTIFICATION METHOD AND ) :  
SYSTEM OF DISTRIBUTING ) :  
PRODUCTS : December 18, 2003

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

Sir:

Introductory Comments

Further to the Amendment filed October 9, 2003, and the Supplemental Amendment filed November 5, 2003, the Examiner is respectfully requested to amend the above-identified application as follows:

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Transmitted herewith is a Second Supplemental Amendment in the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	47	MINUS	52	= 0	x \$ 9 \$18	\$ 0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	13	MINUS	10	= 3	x \$42 \$86	\$ 258.00
Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$145/\$290						
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT---						\$ 258.00

°Verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously.

A check in the amount of \$ 258.00 is enclosed.

Charge \$        to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06-1205 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate of this paper is enclosed.

A check in the amount of \$        to cover the Extension fee for response within        months is enclosed.

A check in the amount of \$        to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,



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